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SUBJECT: CHANCERY FACADE RENOVATIONS

REF A. STATE 59469 B. PRAGUE 0630

DEPT FOR A/SY/FO; FRANKFURT FOR RSS AND OIC, RTC

1. RENOVATIONS OF CHANCERY WILL BEGIN ABOUT MAY 1 AND IS EXPECTED TO CONTINUE THROUGH NOVEMBER 30. POST REQUESTS CONSTRUCTION SURVEILLANCE BY TWO TDY SEABEES DURING THE ENTIRE PERIOD. GOC OFFICIALS WILL PROVIDE PRECISE STARTING DATE ON APRIL 4 AND POST WILL ADVISE DEPARTMENT.

2. POST WILL MANAGE CONSTRUCTION IN A MANNER WHICH WILL MINIMIZE TIME SEABEES ARE REQUIRED. HOWEVER, UNPREDICTABLE FACTORS SUCH AS WEATHER AND SOMETIMES ERRATIC SCHEDULING OF LOCAL WORKMEN BY CZECHOSLOVAK AUTHORITIES WILL CAUSE SOME WORK DELAYS.

3. AT TIMES SEABEES ARE NOT PERFORMING CONSTRUCTION SURVEILLANCE DUE TO ABSENCE OF LOCAL WORKMEN, POST PLANS TO UTILIZE THEM TO PERFORM OTHER SECURITY RELATED CONSTRUCTION IN SENSITIVE AREAS OF CHANCERY. PROJECTS INCLUDE SOME ELECTRICAL MODIFICATIONS IN RESTRICTED AREA, MINOR REPAIRS TO ATTIC IN RESTRICTED AREA, INSTALLATION OF ACCESS PORTS IN FLUES WHICH PASS THROUGH RESTRICTED AREA, INSTALLATION OF HEAVY MESH SCREEN TO GRILLS AROUND AIR
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CONDITIONERS IN CCC, AND INSTALLATION OF SEVERAL SECURITY ALARMS AND REMOTE LOCKING DEVICES IN CHANCERY.

4. AS POST PREVIOUSLY HAD A RESIDENT SEABEE, AN ADEQUATELY EQUIPPED SHOP IN THE RESTRICTED AREA ATTIC WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THEIR USE. ALL PROJECTS CITED IN PREVIOUS PARAGRAPH WILL BE FUNDED LOCALLY AND ALL MATERIALS REQUIRED WILL BE OBTAINED BY

POST. NO ADDITIONAL TOOLS ARE NECESSARY.

5. GOVERNMENT HOUSING WILL BE AVAILABLE PART OF THE TIME
SEABEES ARE AT POST. THE RAMAINDER OF TIME A HOTEL WILL BE
UTILIZED.

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